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FOR S-BREMER AND FOR A/O-HUNT

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.) RO

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL VISIT-SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE

REF: BUCHAREST 3607

1. WITH SOME EXCPTIONS, MOST ASPECTS OF SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE HAVE NOW BEEN PINNED DOWN AND ARE GIVEN BELOW. WHERE UNCERTAINTIES REMAIN, THEY ARE GENERALLY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OUR CONTINUING INABILITY TO OBTAIN ROMANIAN DECISIONS ON SOME POINTS. FOR EXAMPLE, ROMANIANS HINTED PRIME MINISTER MANEA MANESCU MAY ACCOMPANY THE SECRETARY DURING SOME PORTIONS OF VISIT WITHOUT SPECIFYING WHEN THIS MIGHT OCCUR. ALSO, WE SHOULD NOTE THAT SOME CHANGES MAY BE MADE FOLLOWING PRESIDENT CEASESCU'S RETURN TO BUCHAREST FROM HELSINKI.

SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY KISSINGER BUCHAREST

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 1975

3:45 PM (ALL TIMES LOCAL) AIR FORCE ONE ARRIVES
OTOPENI AIRPORT, BUCHAREST, ROMANIA

3:45PM YOU DESCEND THE FRONT RAMP AFTER PRESIDENT AND
MRS. FORD HAVE BEEN GREETED BY PRESIDENT AND MRS. CEASESCU. YOU WILL BE MET BY A

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RECEIVING LINE AT FOOT OF RAMP. IN THE RECEIV-

ING LINE WILL BE:

PRESIDENT AND MRS. NICOLAE CEAUSESCU
PRIME MINISTER MANEA MANESCU
FOREIGN MINISTER GEORGE MACOVESCU
CHIEF OF STATE PROTOCOL NICOLAE ECOBESCU
AMBASSADOR HARRY BARNES
JUST PAST RECEIVING LINE, YOU STAND DURING
21-GUN SALUTE AND NATIONAL ANTHEMS.

3:55PM AFTER THE ANTHEMS, YOU PROCEED WITH
THE OFFICIAL PARTY TO A HOLDING AREA BEHIND
AND TO THE RIGHT OF THE PODIUM. YOU RE-
MAIN THERE WHILE THE TWO PRESIDENTS REVIEW
THE HONOR GUARD; GREET ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT
AND MILITARY OFFICIALS, THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS
AND OTHER INVITED GUESTS; AND DELIVER REMARKS.
NOTE: WELCOMING REMARKS BY PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU
FOLLOWED BY PRESIDENT FORD'S RESPONSE WILL BE
TRANSLATED IN ENTIRETY.

4:25PM THE HONOR GUARD AND THE BAND WILL PASS IN REVIEW.

4:26PM FOLLOWING THE TWO PRESIDENTS AND THEIR WIVES,
YOU WILL WALK WITH FOREIGN MINISTER MACOVESCU
FROM PODIUM AREA, THROUGH THE VIP TERMINAL
BUILDING TO BOARD THE MOTORCADE.

4:30PM YOU BOARD MOTORCADE. (YOU WILL RIDE WITH
MACOVESCU). MOTORCADE DEPARTS OTOPENI AIRPORT
TO SPRING PALACE (PRESIDENTIAL GUEST HOUSE),
WITH TWO STOPS ENROUTE.
AT FIRST STOP, PRESIDENT RECEIVES KEYS TO
CITY AND HE AND BUCHAREST MAYOR CIOARA DE-
LIVER BRIEF REMARKS, FOLLOWED BY FOLK DANCING.
AT SECOND STOP, PRESIDENT WILL GREET CROWDS
AND VIEW FOLKLORE PRESENTATION. FYI YOU MAY
WISH TO FOLLOW MACOVESCU'S LEAD ON WHETHER TO
DESCEND FROM CAR.

5:00PM YOU ARRIVE AT THE SPRING PALACE AND TOGETHER
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WITH MACOVESCU FOLLOW THE PRESIDENT AND MRS.
FORD AND PRESIDENT AND MRS. CEAUSESCU INTO
THE SALON. PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU WILL INVITE
PRESIDENT FORD TO BREAK OFF FROM THE GROUP
AND PROCEED TO THE PETIT SALON FOR A BRIEF
CONVERSATION TO WHICH YOU AND MACOVESCU
COULD BE INVITED. CEAUSESCU AND MACOVESCU
WILL REMAIN FOR ABOUT 10 MINUTES.

5:28PM YOU BOARD MOTORCADE.

5:30PM MOTORCADE DEPARTS FOR WREATH-LAYING CEREMONY.

5:38PM MOTORCADE ARRIVES AT MONUMENT OF THE HOMELAND
HEROES FOR WREATH LAYING.

NOTE: YOU WILL BE ESCORTED TO AN AREA ON THE
RIGHT AT THE TOP OF THE SECOND FLIGHT OF STEPS.

THE CEREMONY WILL CONSIST OF:

ROMANIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM

US NATIONAL ANTHEM

LAYING OF WREATH

MOMENT OF SILENCE

INTRODUCTION OF ROMANINA CIVILIAN AND

MILITARY OFFICIALS

REVIEW OF GUARD OF HONOR

YOU THEN RETURN TO THE MOTORCADE AND BOARD.

5:55PM MOTORCADE ARRIVES COUNCIL OF STATE. YOU
WILL FOLLOW THE PRESIDENT TO THE MEETING
ROOM ON THE SECOND FLOOR.

5:57PM THE TWO PRESIDENTS PROCEED TO SEATING AREA
FOR PHOTO COVERAGE. YOU REMAIN WITH
MACOVESCU DURING PRESIDENTIAL PHOTO SESSION.

6:00PM YOU AND MACOVESCU WILL JOIN HEAD-TO-HEAD
MEETING EITHER INITIALLY OR IMMEDIATELY AFTER
VERY BRIEF MEETING BETWEEN THE PRESIDENTS.
AMBASSADOR BARNES WILL INTERPRET. FYI
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GLIGA JULY 28 OF PRESIDENT'S DESIRE THAT
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YOU ACCOMPANY HIM FROM OUTSET OF THIS AND ALL
OTHER HEAD-TO-HEADS.

7:40PM HEAD-TO-HEAD CONCLUDES.
YOU FOLLOW PRESIDENT FORD TO MOTORCADE FOR
BOARDING.

7:42PM MOTORCADE DEPARTS COUNCIL OF STATE ENROUTE
FOR SPRING PALACE.

7:50PM MOTORCADE ARRIVES SPRING PALACE.

PROCEED TO YOUR QUARTERS FOR PERSONAL/STAFF
TIME-10MINUTES. NOTE: ATTIRE FOR
DINNER WILL BE BUSINESS SUIT.

8:00PM YOU RETURN TO MOTORCADE FOR BOARDING.

8:01PM MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE AMBASSADOR'S
RESIDENCE TO GREET AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

8:05PM MOTORCADE ARRIVES AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.
YOU ENTER THE RESIDENCE TO GREET THE
AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

8:20PM RETUREN TO MOTORCADE.

8:23PM MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE COUNCIL OF
STATE FOR DINNER.

8:28PM MOTORCADE ARRIVES COUNCIL OF STATE. YOU
WILL BE ESCORTED TO THE MARBLE DINING
ROOM WITH OFFICIAL PARTY. THE OFFICIAL
PARTY WILL BE SEATED AFTER WHICH THE TWO
PRESIDENTS WILL BE ANNOUNCED.
U.S. GUESTS WILL INCLUDE THE OFFICIAL PARTY,
DAVID KISSINGER, AND OTHERS. WE HAVE NOT
RECIEVED A LIST OF THE ROMANIANS, BUT
HEAD TABLE GUESTS WILL PROBABLY INCLUDE

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PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU, PRIME MINISTER
MANESCU, FOREGIN MINISTER MACOVESCU, PRESIDENTIAL

COUNSELOR STEFAN ANDREI, AND THEIR WIVES.

8:30 P.M. U.S. AND ROMANIAN NATIONAL ANTHEMS.

8:35 P.M. DINNER SERVICE BEGINS.

9:45 P.M. TWO PRESIDENTS EXCHANGE TOASTS WITH TRANS-
LATIONS

10:05 P.M. REMARKS CONCLUDE. FYI THIS WOULD APPEAR TO
BE TIME FOR INFORMAL CONVERSATION.

10:37 P.M. YOU WILL FOLLOW PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD AND
PRESIDENT AND MRS. CEAUSESCU FROM THE
DINING HALL TO THE ENTRANCE OF THE COUNCIL
OF STATE. (THE MACOVESCU WILL PROBABLY
ACCOMPANY YOU TO THE MOTORCADE).

10:40 P.M. YOU THANK ROMANIAN OFFICIALS AND BID THEM
GOODNIGHT. YOU BOARD MOTORCADE.

10:42 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE SPRING PALACE.

10:55 P.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES SPRING PALACE AND YOU
PROCEED TO YOUR QUARTERS.

OVERNIGHT

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3, 1975

8:15 A.M. YOU DEPART QUARTERS ENROUTE MOTORCADE.

8:20 A.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS SPRING PALACE FOR VIP
TRAIN STATION.

8:25 A.M. YOU ARRIVE STATION WHERE YOU WILL BE
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ESCORTED ON BOARD CAR #8 OF PRESIDENT
CEAUSESCU'S TRAIN FOR TRAVEL TO SINAIA.
FYI FONMIN MACOVESCU MAY MEET YOU AT
SPRING PALACE FOR RIDE TO STATION, AND
ACT AS YOUR ESCORT FOR THE DAY, BUT THIS
HAS NOT BEEN CONFIRMED.

8:30 A.M. PRESIDENTIAL TRAIN DEPARTS BUCHAREST
ENROUTE SINAIA. HEAD-TO-HEAD TALKS
DURING TRIP.

10:20 A.M. PRESIDENTIAL TRAIN ARRIVES SINAIA VIP
TRAIN STATION. YOUR ESCORT WILL LEAD
YOU OFF TRAIN TO ARRIVAL AREA WHERE PARTY
WILL BE GREETED BY : ION CATRINESCU, CHAIRMAN
OF THE PEOPLE'S COUNCIL; CONSTANTIN NEAGU,
MAYOR OF SINAIA; ION SERBULEA, SECRETARY
OF THE PEOPLE'S COUNCIL. PRESIDENT FORD
WILL PARTICIPATE IN A TRADITIONAL BREAD
AND SALT WELCOMING CEREMONY.

10:25 A.M. BOARD MOTORCADE IN FRONT OF STATION.
MOTORCADE DEPARTS STATION ENROUTE PELISOR
RESIDENCE. (DRIVING TIME INCLUDES STOPS
TO GREET CROWDS).

10:45 A.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES PELISOR RESIDENCE. YOU
BID FAREWELL TO PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU. YOU
MAY WISH TO INDICATE TO MACOVESCU YOUR

DESIRE FOR PERSONAL/STAFF TIME, OR YOU
MAY INVITE MACOVESCU TO STAY TO CONTINUE
CHATting. NOTE: AT 11:00 PRESIDENT FORD
DEPARTS TO VISIT SINAIA MONASTERY.

11:30 A.M. PRESIDENT FORD RETURNS TO PELISOR
RESIDENCE. YOU WILL ACCOMPANY HIM ON FOOT
200 YARDS TO PELES CASTLE FOR MEETING IN
THE MEETING ROOM.

11:40 A.M. HEAD-TO-HEAD MEETING BEGINS.

1:00 P.M. HEAD-TO-HEAD CONCLUDES.

1:02 P.M. YOU PROCEED WITH THE TWO PRESIDENTS FROM
THE MEETING ROOM TO THE THRONE ROOM FOR
EXCHANGE OF INSTRUMENTS OF ACCEPTANCE OF
THE TRADE AGREEMENT AND SIGNING OF THE
JOINT COMMUNIQUE. FYI ROMANIANS HAVE NOT
DECIDED ON SCENARIO DESIRED.
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1:07 P.M. YOU PROCEED TO THE DINING ROOM AND GREET
GUESTS. FYI PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU HAS NOT
DECIDED WHO OTHER GUESTS WILL BE. TOTAL:
ABOUT 14 PERSONS.

1:15 P.M. YOU TAKE YOUR SEAT AFTER PRESIDENT AND
MRS. FORD HAVE BEEN SEATED.

1:16 P.M. LUNCHEON SERVICE BEGINS.

2:00 P.M. PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU AND PRESIDENT FORD
OFFER INFORMAL TOASTS, FOLLOWED BY TRANSLATION.

2:10 P.M. LUNCHEON CONCLUDES.

2:11 P.M. YOU FOLLOW PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD,
ESCORTED BY PRESIDENT AND MRS. CEAUSESCU,
TO VIEWING AREA TO OBSERVE FOLK DANCES.
FYI DEPENDING ON WEATHER, DANCING WILL
BE EITHER OUTSIDE ON PALACE LAWN OR IN
PALACE THEATER.

2:15 P.M. DANCING CONCLUDES. YOU FOLLOW THE PRESI-
DENT AND MRS. FORD, ESCORTED BY PRESIDENT
AND MRS. CEAUSESCU, PAST THE DANCERS (YOU
WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO CONGRATULATE
THEM) TO THE MOTORCADE FOR BOARDING.

2:50 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS GUEST HOUSE COMPOUND
FOR RETURN TO SINAIA VIP TRAIN STATION.

2:55 P.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES STATION WHERE YOU WILL
BE ESCORTED ONTO TRAIN BY ROMANIAN OFFICIALS.

3:00 P.M. PRESIDENTIAL TRAIN DEPARTS STATION ENROUTE
BUCHAREST. (TRANSIT TIME 1 HOUR , 45 MINUTES).

4:45 P.M. TRAIN ARRIVES BUCHAREST.

4:50 P.M. ESCORTED BY FOREIGN MINISTER MACOVESCU
YOU PROCEED TO MOTORCADE FOR BOARDING EN-
ROUTE TO AIRPORT.

4:51 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS FOR OTOPENI AIRPORT.

5:00 P.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES AIRPORT. YOU ARE
ESCORTED TO AREA NEAR FRONT RAMP OF AF 1
WHERE YOU STAND DURING PRESIDENTIAL HONORS.

5:05 P.M. 21- GUN SALUTE.

5:06 P.M. U.S. NATIONAL ANTHEM.

5:08 P.M. ROMANIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM.

5:10 P.M. THE PRESIDENT ESCORTED BY PRESIDENT
CEAUSESCU AND THE COMMANDER OF THE
TROOPS REVIEWS THE HONOR GUARD.
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5:13 P.M. FORMAL FAREWELL REMARKS WITH TRANSLATIONS
ARE EXCHANGED BY THE TWO PRESIDENTS.

5:17 P.M. PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD ARRIVE AT FOOT
OF RAMP TO BID HIGH OFFICIALS FAREWELL.

YOU SAY FAREWELL TO YOUR HOSTS AND PRO-
CEED UP THE RAMP.

5:20 P.M. AIR FORCE ONE DEPARTS ENROUTE BELGRADE,
YUGOSLAVIA, (FLYING TIME 50 MINUTES).
(TIME CHANGE: GAIN ONE HOUR.)
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